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TEMPORARY FORM D

NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO REGULATION D, SECTION 4(6), AND/OR UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION

OMB APPROVAL

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Name of Offering (check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.) Magnetar Capital Fund, Ltd (the "Issuer")						
Filing Under (Check box(es) that apply): Rule 504 Rule 505 Rule 506 Section 4(6) ULOE Type of Filing: New Filing Amendment						
A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA						
1. Enter the information requested about the issuer						
Name of Issuer (check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.) Magnetar Capital Fund, Ltd						
Address of Executive Offices (Number and Street, City, State, ZIP Code) c/o Citco Fund Services (Cayman Islands) Limited, Windward 1, Regatta Office Park, West Bay Road, P.O. Box 31106 SMB, George Town, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands						
Address of Principal Business Operations (Number and Street, City, State, ZIP Code) Telephone Number (Including Area Code) same as above same as above						
Brief Description of Business To invest in both long and short positions in a broad range of securities derivatives and other assets using a wide range of relative value, event-driven, directional, hybrid and other investment strategies, some of which will utilize both quantitative and fundamental analytical techniques.						
Type of Business Organization corporation business trust limited partnership, already formed business trust limited partnership, to be formed						
Actual or Estimated Date of Incorporation or Organization: Month Year						
Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization: (Enter two-letter U.S. Postal Service abbreviation for State: CN for Canada; FN for other foreign jurisdiction) FN THOMSON REUTER						

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Federal: Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6).

When to File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the dale it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.

Where to File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20549.

Copies Required: Two (2) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. The copy not manually signed must be a photocopy of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.

Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.

State:
This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

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Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predicated on the filing of a federal notice.

		A. BASIC IDE	NTIFICATION DATA			
2. Enter the information requested for the following:						
• Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years;						
• Each beneficial ow the issuer;	mer having the pov	wer to vote or dispose, or	direct the vote or disposition	of, 10% or more of	a class of equity securities of	
 Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general and managing partners of partnership issuers; and 						
 Each general and n 						
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner	
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Magnetar Financial LLC (the "Investment Manager")						
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 1603 Orrington Avenue, 13th Floor, Evanston, Illinois 60201						
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner	
Full Name (Last name first, Litowitz, Alec N.	if individual)	-/-				
Business or Residence Addre c/o Magnetar Financial LL	ess (Number and S C, 1603 Orringto	treet, City, State, Zip Cod n Avenue, 13th Floor, Ev	e) anston, Illinois 60201			
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner	
Full Name (Last name first, Laser, Ross	if individual)					
Business or Residence Addreso Magnetar Financial LL	ess (Number and S .C, 1603 Orringto	treet, City, State, Zip Cod n Avenue, 13th Floor, Ev	e) anston, Illinois 60201			
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner	
Full Name (Last name first, Milgate, S. Alan	if individual)					
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Rawlinson & Hunter, One Capital Place, PO Box 897 GT, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands						
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner	
Full Name (Last name first, Douglas, Richard E.	if individual)			·		
Business or Residence Addr c/o Rawlinson & Hunter, C	ess (Number and S One Capital Place,	treet, City, State, Zip Cod PO Box 897 GT, Grand	e) Cayman, Cayman Islands			
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner	
Full Name (Last name first, Walmsley, William E.J.	if individual)					
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Rawlinson & Hunter, One Capital Place, PO Box 897 GT, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands						
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner	
Full Name (Last name first, Turro, Michael	if individual)					
Business or Residence Addr	ess (Number and S		e)		_	

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C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS Enter the aggregate offering price of securities included in this offering and the total amount already sold. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero." If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box \infty and indicate in the columns below the amounts of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged. Amount Already Aggregate Offering Price Sold Type of Security Debt \$0 Equity \$0 Common Preferred Convertible Securities (including warrants) \$0 Partnership Interests \$0 Other (Specify Non-Voting Redeemable Participating Shares (the "Shares"))(a) \$4,891,614,112 \$10,000,000,000(b) Total \$10,000,000,000 (b) \$4,891,614,112 Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE. Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero." Aggregate Number Dollar Amount of Purchases Investors \$4,891,614,112 Accredited Investors 222 Non-accredited investors 0 50 Total (for filings under Rule 504 only) \$N/A Answer also in Appendix, Column 4, if filing under ULOE. If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C - Question 1. Dollar Amount Type of Type of offering Security Sold Rule 505 N/A \$N/A Regulation A N/A SN/A Rule 504 N/A \$N/A Total N/A \$N/A a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the issuer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate. Printing and Engraving Costs \$8,000 Legal Fees Sto,000

 Accounting Fees
 \$8,000

 Engineering Fees
 \$0

 Sales Commissions (specify finders' fees separately)
 \$0

 Other Expenses (identify) Filing Fees
 \$4,000

 Total
 \$20,000

(a) The Issuer will offer Shares in multiple classes ("Classes") and series ("Series"). The Issuer will initially offer two Classes of Shares, Class A and Class B. These two Classes are identical except in respect of participation in gains and losses from "new issues". The Issuer will also issue a series of Class C Shares in respect of each "Designated Investment" made by the Issuer, each such new Class being issued in exchange for the mandatory redemption, as applicable of Class A Shares and Class B Shares of equivalent then-current value.

(b) Open-end fund; estimated maximum aggregate offering amount.

C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

b. Enter the difference between the aggregate offering price given in response to Part C - Question 1 and total expenses furnished in response to Part C - Question 4.a. This difference is the "adjusted gross proceed proceeds to the issuer."

\$9,999,980,000

5. Indicate below the amount of the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer used or proposed to be used for each of the purposes shown. If the amount for any purpose is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate. The total of the payments listed must equal the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer set forth in response to Part C - Question 4.b above.

		Payments to Officers, Directors, & Affiliates			
Salaries and fees		S \$0	⊠ 50		
Purchase of real estate		So	⊠ so		
Purchase, rental or leasing and installar	ion of machinery and equipment	S so	⊠ so		
Construction or leasing of plant building	gs and facilities	<u>s</u> o	⋈ \$0		
offering that may be used in exchange	ing the value of securities involved in this for the assets or securities of another		⊠ so		
Repayment of indebtedness			⊠ so		
Working capital			⊠ \$0		
Other (specify): Portfolio Investment	l	<u></u> S0	⊠ _{\$9,999,980,000}		
		🔀 so	⊠ 50		
Column Totals		S so	⊠ _{\$9,999,980,000}		
Total Payments Listed (column totals a	dded)	—————————————————————————————————————	999,980,000		
	D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE				
	ed by the undersigned duly authorized person. If the to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission uant to paragraph (b)(2) of Rule 502.				
Issuer (Print or Type)	Signature	. Date			
Magnetar Capital Fund, Ltd	Michael	wo Septemb	er 19th, 2008		
Name of Signer (Print or Type)	Title of Signer (Print or Type)				
Michael Turro	Chief Compliance Officer of the In	Chief Compliance Officer of the Investment Manager			

ATTENTION

Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001).